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In re Application of  
Jeffrey G. Marx et al.  
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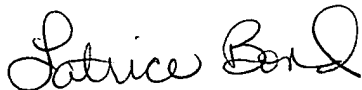
This is a decision on the petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b), filed January 30, 2003, to revive the above-identified application.

The petition is **GRANTED**.

The above-identified application became abandoned for failure to reply in a timely manner to the non-final Office action mailed June 6, 2002, which set a shortened statutory period for reply of three months. No extensions of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) were obtained. Accordingly, the above-identified application became abandoned on September 7, 2002.

The application is being forwarded to Technology Center AU 3738 for further processing.

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